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Examiner : Victor J. Taylor  
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Applicants : Hans Thomann et al.  
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For : METHOD FOR BOREHOLE MEASUREMENT  
OF FORMATION PROPERTIES

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PETITION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) FOR  
EXTENSION OF TIME AND REPLY TO OFFICE ACTION

Sir:

PETITION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)  
FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), applicants hereby petition for a three-month extension of the period set for reply to the Office action mailed September 22, 2004, to make the date for reply March 22, 2005. A check in the amount of \$1,020.00, in payment of the fee required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a)(3), is enclosed herewith. The Director is authorized to charge any additional fees that may be required, or to credit overpayment, in connection with this paper, to Deposit Account No. 06-1075. A duplicate copy of this Petition is enclosed herewith.

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**REPLY TO OFFICE ACTION**

In reply to the Office action mailed on September 22, 2004, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments of the Drawings** begin on page 3 of this Reply and include one new drawing to be added to the application.

**Amendments of the Abstract of the Disclosure** begin on page 4 of this Reply.

**Amendments of the Specification** begin on page 5 of this Reply.

**Amendments of the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 6 of this Reply.

**Remarks** begin on page 9 of this Reply.

**An Appendix** including the new drawing is attached following page 15 of this Reply.